



UNITED STATES OF AMERICA  
DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION  
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY  
WASHINGTON, DC

Issued by the Department of Transportation on September 8, 2003

**NOTICE OF ACTION TAKEN -- DOCKET OST-96-1496**

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This serves as notice to the public of the action described below, taken by the Department official indicated (no additional confirming order will be issued in this matter).

Application of United Parcel Service Co. filed 8/14/03 for:

**XX Allocation of five weekly U.S.-Thailand all-cargo frequencies**

Applicant rep: David L. Vaughan (202) 955-9600 DOT Analyst: Sylvia Moore (202) 366-6519

**DISPOSITION**

**XX Granted, in part** (subject to conditions, see below)

The frequency allocation was granted: September 8, 2003, and will remain in effect indefinitely, provided that UPS continues to hold the necessary underlying authority to serve the U.S.-Thailand market.

**Action taken by: Paul L. Gretch, Director**  
**Office of International Aviation**

**XX The authority granted is consistent with the May 8, 1996 Memorandum of Understanding and the aviation agreement between the United States and Thailand.**

Except to the extent exempted or waived, this authority is subject to the terms, conditions, and limitations indicated: **XX Holder's certificate of public convenience and necessity**

**Conditions:** Consistent with our standard practice, the frequency allocation granted is subject to the condition that if any of the frequencies are not used for a period of 90 days, the allocation as to each of those frequencies will expire automatically and the frequencies will revert to the Department for reallocation. The 90-day dormancy period will begin on October 25, 2003, the date UPS proposes services with these frequencies.

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Under authority assigned by the Department in its regulations, 14 CFR Part 385, we found that (1) our action was consistent with Department policy; and (2) grant of the authority was consistent with the public interest. To the extent not granted, we denied all requests in the referenced Docket. We may amend, modify, or revoke the authority granted in this Notice at any time without hearing at our discretion.

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Persons entitled to petition the Department for review of the action set forth in this Notice under the Department's regulations, 14 CFR §385.30, may file their petitions within seven (7) days after the date of issuance of this Notice. This action was effective when taken, and the filing of a petition for review will not alter such effectiveness.

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